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## A. CLASSIFICATION OF SUBJECT MATTER

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## B. FIELDS SEARCHED

Minimum documentation searched (classification system followed by classification symbols)

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Documentation searched other than minimum documentation to the extent that such documents are included in the fields searched

Korean Patent and Applications for Inventions since 1975

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Electronic data base consulted during the international search (name of data base and, where practicable, search terms used)

eKIPASS, WPI, USPTO, PAJ, NCBI, INSPECT "plastic, polystyrene, polyethylene, substrate, plate, bonding, sealing, organic, solvent, chloroform, acetone, method, fill\*, add\*, sample, hole, pressur\*, decompress\*, channel"

## C. DOCUMENTS CONSIDERED TO BE RELEVANT

Category*	Citation of document, with indication, where appropriate, of the relevant passages	Relevant to claim No.
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